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PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS
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SELECTION C MPS FOR INTERNATIONAL MINISTERIAL DELEGATIONS
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Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Members of Parliament are included in various delegations for international/ministerial conferences;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the norms for selection/nomination of such MPs;

(c) whether the clearance from the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs or any other authority is mandatory; and

(d) if so, the details thereof? ANSWER MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL)

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